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Applicants:

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ELECTRONIC CONTROL SYSTEM

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Reply in the above-identified patent application.

- [X] Amendment and Reply (7 pages).
- [X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

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[] Extension for response filed within the third month	n: \$1,020.00	\$0.00		
[] Extension for response filed within the fourth mon	th: \$1,590.00	\$0.00		
[] Extension for response filed within the fifth month	\$2,160.00	\$0.00		
EXT	ENSION FEE TOTAL:	\$0.00		
[] Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(c	l): \$130.00	\$0.00		
CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISC	LAIMER FEE TOTAL:	\$0.00		
[] Small Entity Fees Appl	\$0.00			
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. <u>AMENDMENT AND REPLY</u>

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated August 16, 2006, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: